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2 In view of the above remarks, applicants submit that all of the claims are
3 patentable and that the application is ready for allowance.
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5 **Conclusion**

6 The Applicant requests favorable action on pending claims 1-31 at the
7 earliest convenience of the Office. If any issue remains unresolved that would
8 prevent allowance of this case, the Examiner is requested to contact the
9 undersigned attorney to arrange a telephone interview.
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